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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the reference listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

The document listed on Form PTO-1449 is the English-language equivalent of CN1243351A cited in an Office Action mailed September 8, 2006 in a counterpart Chinese application. A copy of the Office Action and its English-language translation is filed herewith. It is respectfully requested that this information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that this reference be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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Respectfully submitted,

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